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April 24, 2015

Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board
1685 East Street
Fresno, California 93706

RE: Estimated Timeline for E&B Natural Resources Gov't Ponds Closure

E&B Natural Resources (E&B) is committed to the final closure of three historical produced water ponds located on its Gov't. Lease, Section 14 Township 27S Range 27E, in the McVan Area of Poso Creek Oil Field, Bakersfield, California. E&B has developed an aggressive timeline as listed below for closure. Our schedule is based upon timely approval by the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (CV RWQCB) of our Closure Work Plan.

May 2015: Submit Sundry Notice of Intent to close Gov't. pond #3 to the Bureau of Land Management (BLM)

June 2015: Complete and submit Pond Closure Work Plan to CV RWQCB.

July 2015: Complete pre-construction biological survey on Gov't. ponds #1, #2, and #3 per BLM conditions

July 2015: State-certified lab analysis of the oil to verify for non-hazardous components ~ 2 weeks

July thru August 2015: Oil removal and processing (road mix if non-hazardous)

August 2015: State-certified lab analysis of pond soils to verify for non-hazardous components ~ 2 weeks

August thru October 2015: Excavation and soil sampling, pipe removal, and test backfill soil for compatibility

November 2015: Backfill ponds and compaction engineering report

December 2015: Complete closure report for CV RWQCB and the BLM

As previously stated, E&B is committed to the closure of the three produced water ponds on its Gov't. Lease and would appreciate the CV RWQCB's involvement for the timely processing of required approvals for E&B to meet its proposed pond closure timeline.

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Regards,

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